

ANNUAL CRIME REPORT



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We, the Shreveport Police Department, are committed to providing the highest quality of police services by empowering our members and the community to work in partnership with the goal of improving the quality of life within Shreveport, while at the same time maintaining respect for individual rights and human dignity.

The Shreveport Police Department marked the lowest crime rate in 26 years during the year of 2006, with crime fighting and technological improvements being highlights of the year. In 2006, the department responded to roughly 367,000 calls for service. The department has an authorized strength of 535 police officers, 37 jailers and 45 police communications officers.

In 2006, there were a total of 14,927 Part I crimes, as compared to 15,094 Part I crimes in 2005. Part I crimes include both violent crime and property crime. The overall violent crime rate remained virtually unchanged as compared to 2005, while property crime decreased by 1 percent.

New police district boundary lines were redrawn and went into effect Jan. 1, 2006. By redrawing the district lines, the workload was distributed more evenly across the city. In addition, the department converted its computer system to a new database that not only incorporates new technology in record keeping, but also integrates with the 911 System and allows for more interoperability with other law enforcement agencies.

The Police Department purchased 158 new police vehicles in 2006, as well as purchased and transitioned to digital mobile video system that allows for a "tape less" video system for patrol cars.

Construction of a new Patrol Desk was completed and began operation for citizens to have 24-hour service at Police Headquarters. Renovations for office space near the Patrol Desk for call-takers and the Alarm Coordinator also got underway. Also, to enhance accessibility for citizens, the Internal Affairs Bureau moved downtown to offices closer to Government Plaza.

The movie industry kept the Shreveport Police Department busy in 2006. With the influx of movies being produced in Shreveport because of hurricane damage in New Orleans, officers worked hard to handle security, traffic control and other police-related functions for the various productions.

Chief of Police Mike Campbell announced his retirement in November and the department is expected to get a new permanent chief of police later in 2007.

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CITY OF SHREVEPORT AT A GLANCE



VICTIMS BY AGE GROUPS

	(-)17	18-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60(+)
Homicide	2	16	7	2	3	0
Rape	48	57	19	7	2	2
Person Robbery	46	188	96	67	50	38
Assault *	201	622	279	259	98	31
Residential Burglary	0	660	478	389	274	289
Thefts (non-business)	147	1,190	876	785	584	482
Auto Theft	2	388	271	254	172	186
Total	466	3,121	2,494	2,154	1,477	1,182
Violent Crime	297	883	401	335	153	71
Property Crime	169	2,238	2,093	1,819	1,324	1,111

* Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery

HOMICIDES

BY RELATIONSHIP OF VICTIM TO OFFENDER

Acquaintance	13
Family Member	3
Stranger	4
Unknown	10

BY TIME OF DAY (24 HOUR CLOCK)

0001-0600	12
0601-1200	5
1201-1800	3
1801-2400	10

BY WEAPON USED

Gun	27
Knife	1
Hands	2

SELECTED CRIMINAL OFFENSES BY DISTRICT

- Martin Luther King Jr. Drive area, North Highland, West Cooper Road, Lakeview, Hearne Extension, Agurs area north of Hearne
- Freestate, Cherokee Park, Dixie Highway, Agurs area south of Hearne, Downtown area west of Market
- Allendale, Ledbetter Heights
- Highland, Stoner Hill
- Anderson Island, Dixie Garden, Shreve Island, Broadmoor, Waterside, South Highland, Cedar Grove area north of 70th
- Cedar Grove area south of 70th and east of I-49, South Broadmoor, Town South/Spring Lake, East Ridge, Huckleberry Ridge, Suburban Acres, Wallace Lake, Robson Plantation
- Allendale, Lakeside, Queensborough, St Vincent/Ingleside area west of Hearne, Werner Park, Caddo Heights
- South Lakeshore, Country Club, Mooretown
- Shorewood Hills, Yarborough, Western Hills, Huntington Park, Reisor, Fox Crossing
- St Vincent/Ingleside area east of Hearne, Caddo Heights
- Sunset Acres, Hollywood, Cedar Grove area west of I-49
- Garden Valley, Cargill Park, Pinecroft, Hyde Park, Brookwood, Southwood, Suburban Acres, Summergrove, Southern Hills, East Ridge
- Riverfront, Entertainment District, Downtown area east of Market

	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	#8	#9	#10	#11	#12	#13	Total
Homicide	2	0	5	0	0	4	10	2	1	4	2	0	0	30
Rape	10	3	10	18	10	12	14	10	11	6	17	11	3	135
Person Robbery	19	30	37	66	35	26	70	37	19	42	72	16	16	485
Bus. Robbery	1	8	4	3	14	6	8	7	10	6	18	17	2	104
Aggravated Battery	65	20	59	72	38	47	108	68	33	89	98	46	21	764
Aggravated Assault	73	22	41	76	43	46	102	75	31	57	97	52	11	726
Residential Burglary	184	39	116	192	193	111	265	182	134	188	282	202	2	2,090
Business Burglary	47	83	38	37	60	51	64	46	55	73	151	99	12	816
Purse Snatching	3	6	4	7	7	3	5	3	1	3	6	2	3	53
Shoplifting	49	36	9	83	350	210	170	105	135	35	297	213	10	1,702
Theft from Business	45	56	29	48	91	99	58	43	127	53	53	172	19	893
Theft from Resident	112	31	81	179	236	135	176	133	144	118	169	190	11	1,715
Auto Accessory Theft	28	18	17	29	32	30	47	35	34	33	52	38	8	401
Theft from Auto	109	110	79	192	276	286	166	161	220	138	195	345	80	2,357
Theft General	57	80	37	130	168	130	115	83	143	75	132	140	93	1,383
Auto Theft	39	54	55	110	111	99	93	125	146	114	143	134	50	1,273
Total	843	596	621	1,242	1,664	1,295	1,471	1,115	1,244	1,034	1,784	1,677	341	14,927
Violent Crime	170	83	156	235	140	141	312	199	105	204	304	142	53	2,244
Property Crime	673	513	465	1,007	1,524	1,154	1,159	916	1,139	830	1,480	1,535	288	12,683

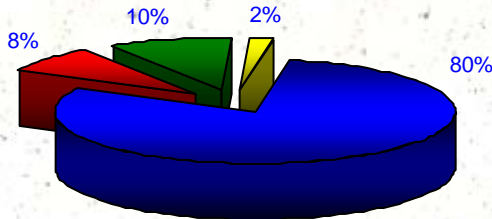
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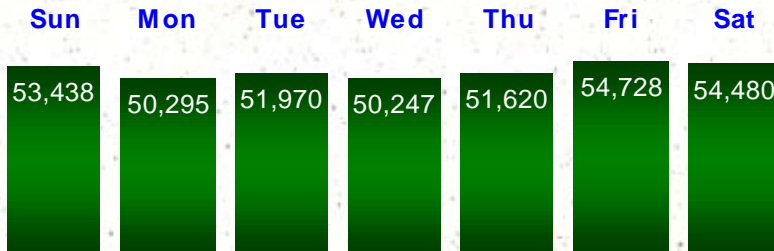
The Joint Communications Center serves the Caddo Sheriff's Office, Shreveport Police Department and Shreveport Fire Department

CAD EVENTS BY 911 AGENCIES

■ Police ■ Fire ■ Sheriff ■ IFD



CALLS FOR SERVICE BY DAY OF WEEK



CALLS FOR SERVICE BY SHIFT

(24 Hour Clock)

2300-0659

0700-1459

1500-2259

95,372

133,074

138,332

Shift A

Shift B

Shift C



Shreveport Police Communications Officers received 366,778 calls for service in 2006, compared to 305,871 in 2005

MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

Call Transfers by Voice Recognition System	143,252
Calls Received via 911	115,929
CAD Events Recorded	366,778
CAD Events Monthly Average	30,564

CALLS FOR SERVICE ♦ ACTIVITY BY SIGNAL TYPE

911 Assist/Other	1,807	Contact-Meeting	619	Holdup Alarm	533	Shooting	349
911 Hang-Up	6,005	Contact-School	43	Illegal Dumping	45	Shoplifting	865
Abandoned Vehicle	2,548	Crime Scene Investigation	978	Indecent Exposure	422	Shots Fired	3,151
Airport Alert	5	D.U.I.	217	Juvenile Complaint	5,946	Silent Alarm	13,022
Animal Complaint	1,370	Deceased Person	171	Kidnapping	41	Simple Robbery	161
Armed Robbery	374	Deliver Message	183	Loitering/Trespassing	3,812	Special Assignment	6,230
Armed Suspect	1,697	Disorderly Person	9,728	Loose Livestock	50	Stabbing	245
Assist Motorist	6,678	Dispute	3,375	Major Accident	1,690	Stalking	129
Assist Officer	854	Disturbance	7,029	Major Hit & Run	72	Suicide	38
Audible Alarm	465	Domestic Trouble	2,299	Minor Accident	11,521	Suspicious Activity	4,006
Auto Theft	3,639	Drug Activity	2,004	Minor Hit & Run	2,629	Tactical Patrol	105,308
Auxiliary Assignment	68	Drunk	416	Missing Person	1,011	Terrorism Threat	10
Bomb Threat	13	EMS Call	1,757	Neighborhood Traffic Ck.	5,339	Theft	10,470
Broken Main/Pipe	116	Escort	154	Off-Road Vehicle Comp.	358	Traffic Complaint	1,786
Burglary	3,934	Execute Warrant	2,702	Parking Complaint	2,145	Traffic Stop	30,426
C&R Driver	1,731	Explosion	2	Periodic Check	6,973	Train Derailment	3
Car Jacking	46	Field Event	167	Physical Assault	6,195	Transport	2,808
CCAR Investigation	109	Fight	2,563	Prisoner Medical Security	1,799	Utility Line Down	124
Civil Disturbance	10	Fire	1,163	Prowler	10,091	Vandalism	3,816
Civil Matter	473	Follow-up Investigation	3,125	Purse Snatching	57	Vehicle Burglary	2,522
Commitment Order	405	Foot/Bike Patrol	584	Render Aid	14,267	Vehicle Distress Alert	14
Contact-Business	20,038	Harassing Phone Calls	2,885	Road Hazard	1,557	Welfare Concern	6,582
Contact-Citizen	3,128	Hazmat	45	Sexual Assault	438	Total Calls	366,778

TRAFFIC



55,251 traffic citations were issued in 2006, compared to 51,934 in 2005

TRAFFIC CITATIONS

Careless Operation	699
Child Restraint Violations	637
Driver License Violations	4,815
DWI/DUI	1,283
Failure to Yield	394
Following too Close	158
Headlight Violations	274
Hit & Run	205
Improper Passing/Crossing	252
Insurance Violations	6,034
Loud Music	913
Negligent Injury	6
Open Container	130
Red Light Violations	2,483
Registration Violations	1,282
School Zone Violations	1,847
Seat Belts Violations	9,271
Speeding Violations	12,687
Stickers/Tags Violations	6,219
Stop Sign Violations	854
Suspended Driver License	2,478
Taillight/Brake Light Violations	400
Other Traffic Violations	1,930
Total Citations	55,251

Officers responded to 9,733 accidents in 2006



ACCIDENT STATISTICS

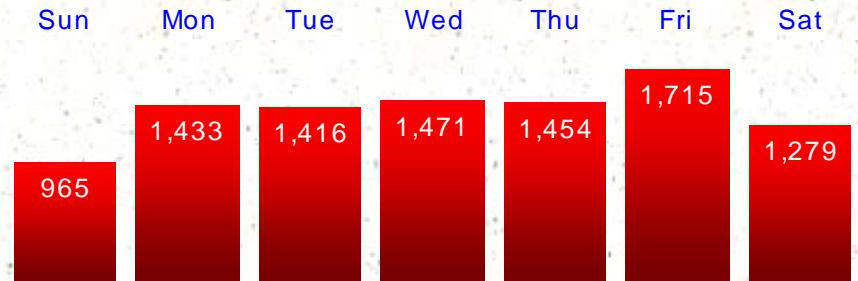
Total Accidents	9,733	Total Persons Involved	21,227
A.M. Accidents	3,061	Fatal	28
P.M. Accidents	6,672	Severe Injury	115
Intersection Accidents	6,111	Moderate Injury	1,023
Non-Intersection Accidents	3,622	Minor/Possible Injury	1,806
Total Pedestrians Involved	20	No Injury	18,255
Fatal	5	Total Drivers	19,124
Injured	13	Male Drivers	9,944
No Injury	2	Female Drivers	9,180

ACCIDENTS BY TIME OF DAY

(24 Hour Clock)



ACCIDENTS BY DAY OF WEEK



An accident is classified as an intersection related accident if it occurred in the intersection or within 100 feet from the intersection.

TOP 10 INTERSECTION AND NON-INTERSECTIONS FOR ACCIDENTS

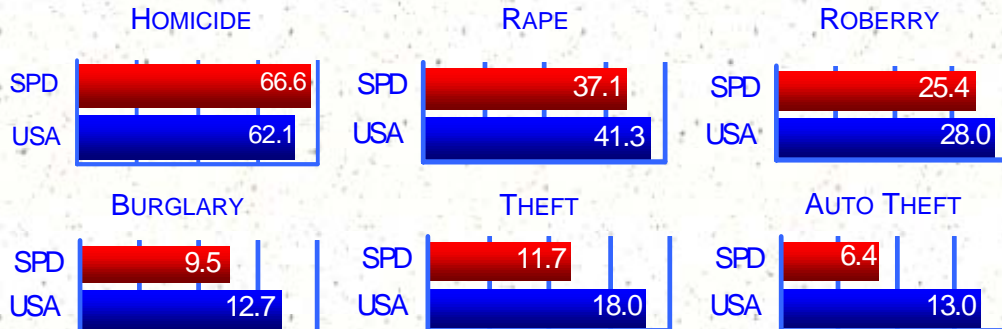
Intersection Accidents		Non-Intersection Accidents	
Youree & Bert Kouns	77	I-20 (East & West)	193
Spring & Lake	69	Bert Kouns	188
Mansfield & Bert Kouns	62	70th	163
Youree & 70th	59	Kings	162
Walker & Bert Kouns	49	Youree	162
Fern & Bert Kouns	46	Market	125
Mansfield & 70th	39	Jewella	78
Bert Kouns & 70th	34	Line	64
Spring & I-20	32	Linwood	60
Youree & Southfield	32	Mansfield	47

ARRESTS, SEIZURES & CLEARANCES



14,311 offenders were booked through the City Jail in 2006, including 4,477 felony arrests

PERCENT OF CRIMES CLEARED



OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS

ARRESTS/CITATIONS

Felony Arrests	852
Misdemeanor Arrests	518
Prostitution/Solicitation Arrests	155
Underage Alcohol Violations	82

SEIZURES

Weapons	196
Narcotics (# cases)	157
Vehicles	4
Money	\$334,315
Cocaine (Grams)	31,349
Cocaine (Street Value)	\$3,149,000
Marijuana (Grams)	720,764
Marijuana (Street Value)	\$7,207,640
Methamphetamine (Grams)	4,568
Methamphetamine (Street Value)	\$548,100
Other Drugs (Grams)	36,992
Other Drugs (Street Value)	\$409,452

USA rates obtained from the latest information available from the FBI.

ARREST REPORT

BY RACE

	W	B	O
Homicide	0	19	0
Rape	3	13	0
Robbery	7	61	0
Assault *	56	454	1
Burglary	57	252	6
Theft	295	829	11
Auto Theft	11	71	0
Part I Crimes	429	1,699	18
Other Assault	347	1,676	16
Forgery	13	36	2
Fraud	32	61	1
Embezzlement	10	37	0
Stolen Property	9	70	0
Vandalism	85	267	2
Weapons	23	163	1
Prostitution	48	79	2
Sex Offenses	54	43	2
Narcotics	424	1,284	7
Gambling	10	8	2
D.W.I.	748	402	23
Liquor Laws	162	148	15
Drunk	5	11	0
Disorderly	91	565	5
Other Offenses	1,085	4,044	47
Part II Crimes	3,146	8,894	125
Grand Total	3,575	10,593	143

BY SEX

	M	F
Homicide	17	2
Rape	15	1
Robbery	64	4
Assault *	372	139
Burglary	285	30
Theft	767	368
Auto Theft	75	7
Part I Crimes	1,595	551
Other Assault	1,497	542
Forgery	30	21
Fraud	60	34
Embezzlement	19	28
Stolen Property	68	11
Vandalism	248	106
Weapons	167	20
Prostitution	19	110
Sex Offenses	89	10
Narcotics	1,404	311
Gambling	12	8
D.W.I.	948	225
Liquor Laws	210	115
Drunk	15	1
Disorderly	378	283
Other Offenses	4,097	1,079
Part II Crimes	9,261	2,904
Grand Total	10,856	3,455

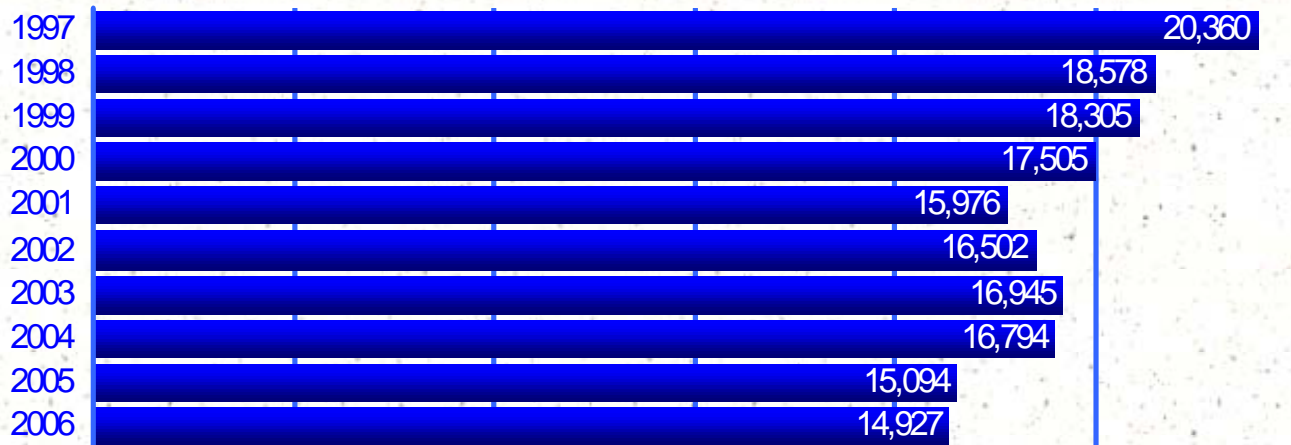
BY AGE

	(-)17	17-29	30-39	40(+)	Total
Homicide	4	10	4	1	19
Rape	2	6	3	5	16
Robbery	18	31	14	5	68
Assault *	90	209	87	125	511
Burglary	127	97	35	56	315
Theft	287	393	163	292	1,135
Auto Theft	30	35	10	7	82
Part I Crimes	558	781	316	491	2,146
Other Assault	356	851	399	433	2,039
Forgery	2	29	7	13	51
Fraud	4	42	22	26	94
Embezzlement	0	34	6	7	47
Stolen Property	12	45	13	9	79
Vandalism	103	151	53	47	354
Weapons	56	103	19	9	187
Prostitution	0	33	33	63	129
Sex Offenses	4	37	16	42	99
Narcotics	124	887	341	363	1,715
Gambling	2	17	1	0	20
D.W.I.	12	481	276	404	1,173
Liquor Laws	33	155	55	82	325
Drunk	2	4	1	9	16
Disorderly	276	224	71	90	661
Other Offenses	626	2,221	1,095	1,234	5,176
Part II Crimes	1,612	5,314	2,408	2,831	12,165
Grand Total	2,170	6,095	2,724	3,322	14,311

* Aggravated Assault and Aggravated Battery

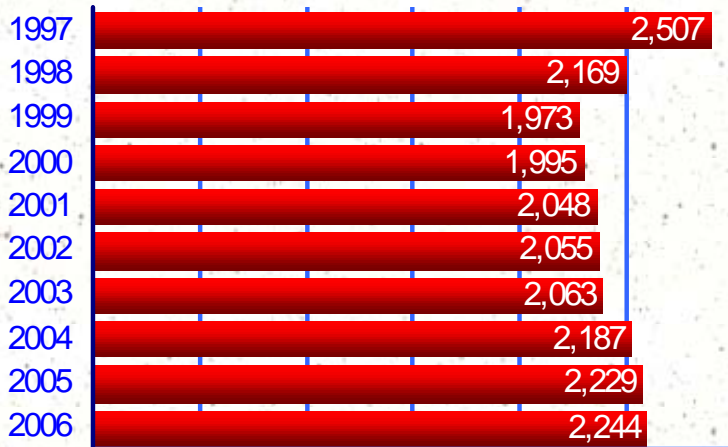
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PART I CRIME INDEX

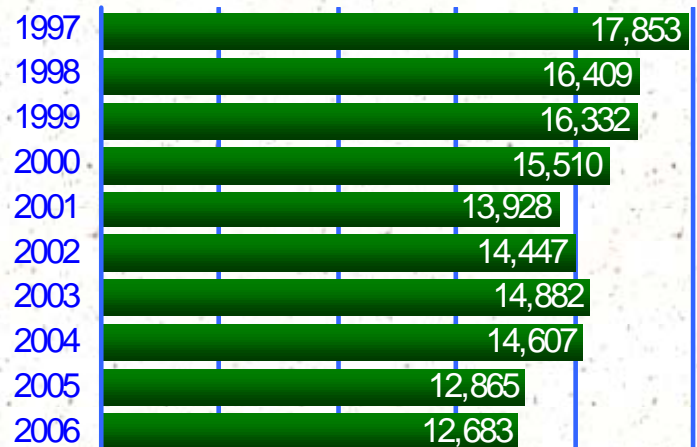


Shreveport Police Department classifies and reports its criminal statistics according to UCR guidelines. The Uniform Crime Reporting program is administered by the FBI and gauges crime fluctuation nationwide. Over 16,000 agencies participate in this program. To keep the data consistent throughout these agencies, UCR sets up guidelines for classifying and submitting data. This enables the different agencies to compare each other and to rank areas according to their crime. This program also designated seven offenses as an index to measure crime and group these offenses under Part I Crime. These offenses are violent crimes and prevalent property crimes. These indexes are used by most agencies to measure their fluctuation in crime.

VIOLENT CRIME INDEX



PROPERTY CRIME INDEX



PART I CRIMES TEN YEAR COMPARISON

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2006-2005 Change
Homicide	43	37	36	56	36	44	49	40	45	30	-33%
Rape	148	129	116	113	117	119	106	135	138	135	-3%
Robbery	640	543	508	594	586	673	691	692	624	589	-6%
Assault*	1,676	1,460	1,313	1,232	1,309	1,219	1,217	1,320	1,422	1,490	+5%
Burglary	4,003	3,892	3,722	3,311	3,453	3,417	3,568	3,296	2,961	2,906	-2%
Theft	12,549	11,417	11,567	11,180	9,330	9,389	9,748	9,864	8,889	8,504	-4%
Auto Thefts	1,301	1,100	1,043	1,019	1,145	1,641	1,566	1,447	1,015	1,273	+25%
Total	20,360	18,578	18,305	17,505	15,976	16,502	16,945	16,794	15,094	14,927	-1%

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**CITY OF SHREVEPORT
POLICE DISTRICTS**

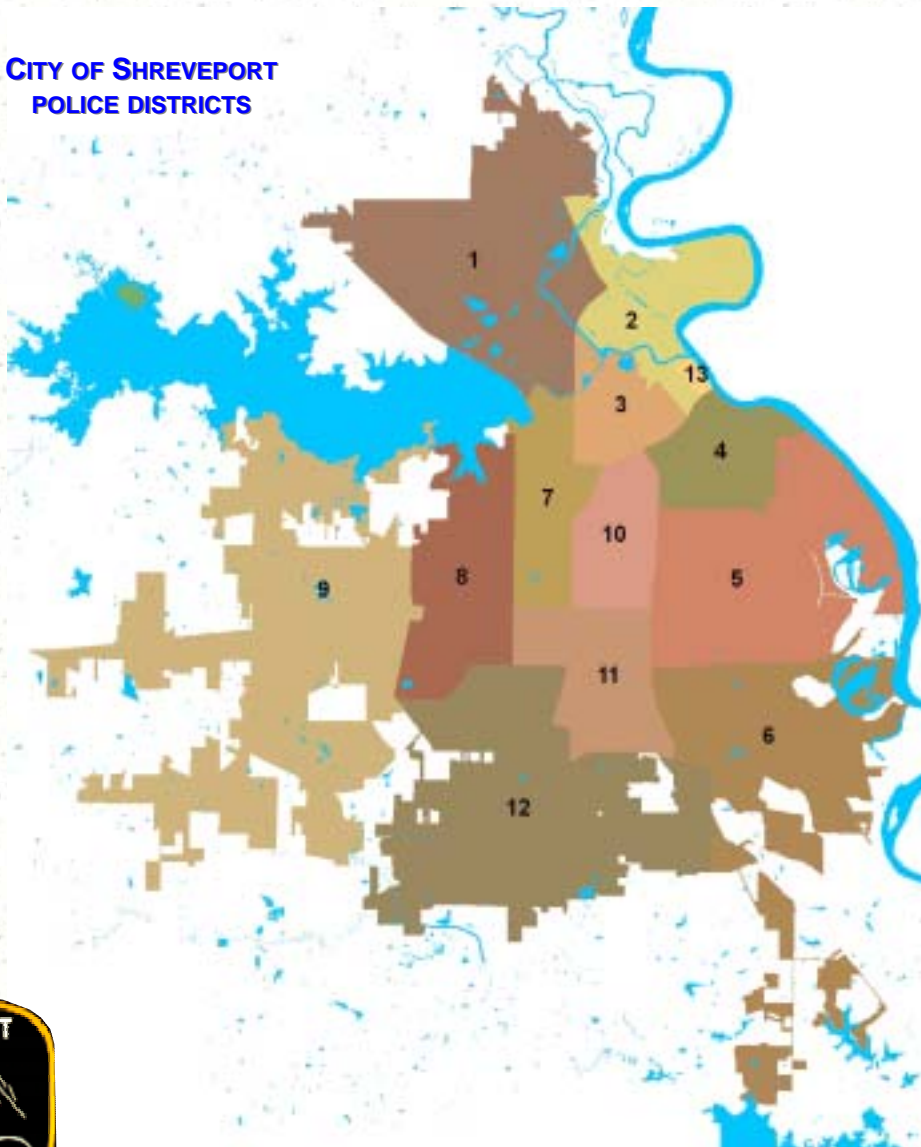


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